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House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Monday, March 24, 2014

The House of Representatives was called to order at 3:00 P.M., by the Honorable Chuck Kleckley, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Greene	Montoucet
Adams	Guillory	Moreno
Anders	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Armes	Harris	Norton
Arnold	Harrison	Ortego
Badon	Havard	Pearson
Barras	Hazel	Pierre
Barrow	Henry	Ponti
Berthelot	Hensgens	Pope
Billiot	Hill	Price
Bishop, S.	Hodges	Pugh
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Pylant
Brown	Hollis	Reynolds
Burford	Honore	Richard
Burns, H.	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, T.	Hunter	Robideaux
Burrell	Huval	Schexnayder
Carmody	Ivey	Schroder
Carter	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Champagne	James	Shadoin
Chaney	Jefferson	Simon
Connick	Johnson	Smith
Cromer	Jones	St. Germain
Danahay	Lambert	Stokes
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dove	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Fannin	LeBas	Thierry
Foil	Leger	Whitney
Franklin	Leopold	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Lorusso	Willmott
Geymann	Mack	Woodruff
Gisclair	Miller	

Total - 98

The Speaker announced that there were 98 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Dr. Ken Ward, Ethicist and Coordinator of Chaplain Services.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Thibaut led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Rep. Hill, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Hill, the Journal of March 20, 2014, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials, and
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

March 24, 2014

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 20, 24, 25, and 189

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
on First Reading**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 20—

BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:701(10), (11), (12), (24), and (33)(a)(i), (ii)(aa), and (xiii) and (b)(i), 702(A) and (B), 723(A)(1), 781(B), 784(A), (C)(2), and (F), 784.1(A), (B), (C), and (D), 785.1(A) and (C), 792(A), (B), (C), and (D), and 826, to enact R.S. 11:701(14.1), (22.1), and (33)(a)(xiv) and 781(C), and to repeal R.S. 11:723(B), relative to the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide with respect to the tax qualification of the system; to make changes to the plan's provisions in conformity with federal requirements; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 24—

BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2173(A)(1) and (6), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund; to provide relative to membership of the board of trustees; to specify terms of office

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and designations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 25— BY SENATOR GUILLORY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:1142, 1147(C)(2)(a)(ii), 1151(F)(1), 1151.1(A) and (C)(1), and 1206, to enact R.S. 11:1132.1, and to repeal R.S. 11:162(D), 1002(11), and 1144(A)(2), relative to the administration of the Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System; to provide for recovery of overpayments; to provide for disability and survivor benefits for certain members; to provide for technical corrections; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 189— BY SENATOR MORRISH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 48:1815(A) and R.S. 56:1948.5(47) and to enact R.S. 56:1948.5(65), relative to Louisiana Byways designation; to revise certain highway, route, and byway district designations; to provide for the route designation of the Flyway Byway in Jefferson Davis Parish; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Schexnayder, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 39—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHEXNAYDER

A RESOLUTION

To commend the Riverside Academy High School boys' basketball team upon winning their second consecutive Class 2A state championship and to congratulate the Riverside Academy Runnin' Rebels on an outstanding 2013-2014 season.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Schexnayder, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 40—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON

A RESOLUTION

To commend Stedman Graham on his many contributions to society and to welcome him to Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jackson, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 31—

BY REPRESENTATIVE KATRINA JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize the life of Nelson Mandela, former President of South Africa, civil rights leader, teacher, freedom fighter, father of his nation, and inspiration to the global community, by expressing support for the Nelson Mandela Scholars Program at Southern University and Agricultural and Mechanical College in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Jackson, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MORENO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Susan G. Komen for the Cure and its Louisiana affiliates for improving the quality of life in local communities through the delivery of breast cancer education, screening, treatment, and research, and to recognize Tuesday, April 29, 2014, as Komen for the Cure Day at the Legislature of Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Moreno, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Introduction of House Bills and Joint Resolutions

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE BILL NO. 80—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 11:267.1 and to repeal R.S. 11:263(D)(1) and (2), relative to investments of certain public retirement systems, plans, and funds; to provide relative to restrictions on investment of assets; to provide for definitions; to provide relative to asset allocations for certain public retirement systems, plans, and funds; to provide for a transition period; to provide relative to ethical guidelines for certain investments; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 583—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MACK

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1923(D)(3), relative to the Livingston Parish assessor; to require the payment of certain group insurance premiums for retirees of the assessor's office; to establish retiree eligibility criteria; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 792—

BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:1925.11, relative to assessment districts; to provide relative to the office of assessor in the Webster Parish Assessment District; to authorize the assessor in such district to receive an automobile expense allowance; to provide for certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 981—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GAINES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:337.10.1, relative to the parish of St. John the Baptist; to provide relative to political subdivisions within the parish; to provide relative to the sales and use taxes levied by the political subdivisions; to authorize the governing authority of the parish and of any such political subdivision to establish sales tax holidays; to authorize the governing authorities to exempt purchases of tangible personal property from sales and use taxes during any such holiday; to provide limitations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 56:317, relative to fishing; to establish the Louisiana Catch and Cook Program within the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries; to allow restaurants to prepare certain recreational fish; to provide for rules and regulations; to provide for a participation permit; to provide violations; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1045—
BY REPRESENTATIVE LEBAS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:3533(E), 3534(Section Heading), (A)(1) and (2), (G), and (H)(1), and 3537(A) and to repeal R.S. 3:3534(B) and (I), relative to the Louisiana Rice Promotion Board; to provide for the duties and responsibilities of the board; to provide for the levy of certain assessments; to provide for rice producer refunds; to provide for use and transfer of funds; to repeal the levy of additional assessments; to repeal authority for referenda for assessment purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1046—
BY REPRESENTATIVES LEOPOLD AND GAROFALO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:4631(B) and (C) and R.S. 56:433(A) and (E) and 440, relative to labeling and packaging of oysters; to provide for certain standards for marketable oysters and labeling and packaging of oysters for market; to provide penalties for mislabeling oysters; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1047—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROBIDEAUX

AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2014-2015 to be used to pay the consent judgments in the suit entitled "Alex Feverjean, Janice and Steven Hanks, Alicia Breaux Morgan, Amie Broussard, Richard and Bessie Benoit, and Marli Sonnier v. BNSF Railway Company, the State of Louisiana through the Department of Transportation and Development and the Parish of Acadia"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048—
BY REPRESENTATIVES PONTI AND ORTEGO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1378(A)(3) and R.S. 40:5, 1722(B)(2), 1723(B), 1730.22(C), 1730.28(A)(1), (3)(a), and (5), and 1730.29(A)(introductory paragraph), to enact R.S. 40:4(C) and (D) and 1730.23(I), and to repeal R.S. 40:4(A)(7), 1722(D), and 1730.28(A)(3)(h); relative to the regulation of plumbing; to provide for grounds for disciplinary actions; to require the Louisiana State Uniform Construction Code Council to adopt certain provisions relative to plumbing; to provide relative to the duties of the state health officer; to provide relative to the authority of local building officials; to provide for effective dates; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049—
BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 42:860, relative to the state group benefits program; to require that coverage for treatment for morbid obesity be offered; to provide for certain requirements; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050—
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHANEY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1707, relative to ad valorem property tax exemptions; to provide relative to the ad valorem property tax exemption for certain agricultural machinery and other implements used exclusively for agricultural purposes; to remove certain restrictions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1051—
BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAY

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.212, relative to hotel occupancy taxes; to authorize the governing authorities of certain municipalities, subject to voter approval, to levy and collect a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of the tax proceeds; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052—
BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND BROSETT

AN ACT

To enact Part III of Chapter 28 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:2145 through 2147, relative to domestic violence; to create the Domestic Violence Prevention Commission; to provide relative to the duties, powers, membership, and meetings of the commission; to authorize commission members to appoint certain persons as proxy; to require a certain vote of the membership for legislative recommendations; to provide for legislative findings; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053—
BY REPRESENTATIVE FANNIN

AN ACT

To appropriate funds and to make certain reductions in appropriations from certain sources to be allocated to designated agencies and purposes in specific amounts for the making of supplemental appropriations and reductions for said agencies and purposes for Fiscal Year 2013-2014; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

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Read by title.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUILLORY
AN ACT

To appropriate funds out of the General Fund of the state of Louisiana for Fiscal Year 2014-2015 to be used to pay the consent judgment against the Department of Transportation and Development in the suit entitled "Artimese Duplechain v. City of Opelousas, et al"; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Leopold, the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of House Bill No. 740.

HOUSE BILL NO. 740—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LEOPOLD
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:5704(B), relative to qualifications for coroners; provides for an exception to allow for a non-resident to qualify and hold office of the coroner; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Leopold, the bill was withdrawn from the files of the House.

Recess

On motion of Rep. Leger, the Speaker declared the House at recess upon the call of the House.

After Recess

Speaker Kleckley called the House to order at 4:24 P.M.

House Business Resumed

House Concurrent Resolutions Returned from the Senate with Amendments

The following House Concurrent Resolutions returned from the Senate with amendments to be concurred in by the House were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN AND SENATOR GALLOT
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the condolences of the Louisiana House of Representatives upon the death of Mike Reed of Ruston, Louisiana.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Walsworth to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 12 by Representative Shadoin

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "Representatives" insert "and the Louisiana Senate"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 5, after "Representatives" delete "has" and insert "and the Louisiana Senate have"

On motion of Rep. Shadoin, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—

BY REPRESENTATIVES STUART BISHOP, ABRAMSON, NANCY LANDRY, AND ROBIDEAUX AND SENATOR CORTEZ
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express condolences upon the death of Carl W. "Wimpy" Bauer and to express enduring gratitude for his outstanding contributions to Acadiana and the state of Louisiana, particularly during his tenure as a distinguished member of the Louisiana House of Representatives.

Read by title.

The above resolution was taken up with the amendments proposed by the Senate.

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Cortez to Original House Concurrent Resolution No. 17 by Representative Stuart Bishop

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 7, after "Representatives" delete "has" and insert "and the Louisiana Senate have"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, delete line 2 and insert:

"with honor and distinction on the Senate Finance committee and the Transportation, Highways and Public Works committee; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure in the Senate, then Senator Bauer authored legislation creating the West St. Mary Parish Port Harbor and Terminal District which still exists today; and"

On motion of Rep. Stuart Bishop, the amendments proposed by the Senate were concurred in.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on third reading and final passage were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 11—

BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, ADAMS, ARNOLD, FOIL, GAROFALO, GREENE, HARRISON, JAMES, JEFFERSON, LEOPOLD, MACK, MILLER, MORENO, JAY MORRIS, AND SHADOIN
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 1:58.6, relative to state holidays; to establish "Purple Heart Recognition Day" as an annual state holiday; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Edwards, the bill was returned to the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 97—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SHADOIN

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:338.196(A), relative to the Union Parish School Board; to provide with respect to the authority to levy an additional sales and use tax; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Shadoin moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Adams	Harris	Norton
Armes	Havard	Ortego
Arnold	Hazel	Pearson
Badon	Henry	Pierre
Barras	Hensgens	Ponti
Barrow	Hill	Pope
Berthelot	Hodges	Price
Billiot	Hoffmann	Pugh
Bishop, S.	Hollis	Pylant
Broadwater	Honore	Reynolds
Brown	Howard	Richard
Burford	Hunter	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Ivey	Schexnayder
Carmody	James	Schroder
Carter	Jefferson	Seabaugh
Champagne	Johnson	Shadoin
Chaney	Jones	Simon
Cromer	Lambert	Smith
Danahay	Landry, N.	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, T.	Stokes
Fannin	LeBas	Talbot
Foil	Leopold	Thibaut
Franklin	Lopinto	Thierry
Gaines	Lorusso	Whitney
Garofalo	Mack	Williams, A.
Gisclair	Miller	Williams, P.
Greene	Montoucet	Willmott
Guillory	Moreno	Woodruff
Total - 90		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Connick	Harrison
Anders	Cox	Jackson, K.
Bishop, W.	Dove	Leger
Brossett	Edwards	Morris, Jim
Burns, T.	Geymann	Thompson
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Shadoin moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 102—

BY REPRESENTATIVE FOIL

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Civil Code Article 356, relative to the title of proceedings; to provide for the title of proceedings for continuing tutorship; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Foil moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Harris	Morris, Jay
Adams	Harrison	Norton
Armes	Havard	Ortego
Arnold	Hazel	Pearson
Badon	Henry	Pierre
Barrow	Hensgens	Ponti
Berthelot	Hill	Pope
Billiot	Hodges	Price
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Pugh
Broadwater	Hollis	Pylant
Brown	Honore	Reynolds
Burford	Howard	Richard
Burns, H.	Hunter	Ritchie
Burrell	Huval	Robideaux
Carmody	Ivey	Schexnayder
Carter	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Champagne	James	Seabaugh
Chaney	Jefferson	Shadoin
Cromer	Johnson	Simon
Danahay	Jones	Smith
Dixon	Lambert	St. Germain
Dove	Landry, N.	Stokes
Fannin	Landry, T.	Talbot
Foil	LeBas	Thibaut
Franklin	Leopold	Thierry
Gaines	Lopinto	Whitney
Garofalo	Lorusso	Williams, A.
Gisclair	Mack	Williams, P.
Greene	Miller	Willmott
Guillory	Montoucet	Woodruff
Guinn	Moreno	
Total - 92		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Burns, T.	Leger
Anders	Connick	Morris, Jim
Barras	Cox	Thompson
Bishop, W.	Edwards	
Brossett	Geymann	
Total - 13		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

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Rep. Foil moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 123—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SEABAUGH

AN ACT

To amend and reenact Code of Civil Procedure Article 966(B)(1), relative to motions for summary judgment; to provide for service of motions for summary judgment, memorandum in support, and supporting affidavits; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Seabaugh moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Harrison	Norton
Adams	Havard	Ortego
Armes	Hazel	Pearson
Arnold	Henry	Pierre
Badon	Hensgens	Ponti
Barrow	Hodges	Pope
Berthelot	Hoffmann	Price
Billiot	Hollis	Pugh
Bishop, S.	Honore	Pylant
Broadwater	Howard	Reynolds
Brown	Hunter	Richard
Burford	Huval	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Ivey	Robideaux
Burrell	Jackson, K.	Schexnayder
Carmody	James	Schroder
Carter	Jefferson	Seabaugh
Champagne	Johnson	Shadoin
Chaney	Jones	Simon
Cromer	Lambert	Smith
Dixon	Landry, N.	St. Germain
Fannin	Landry, T.	Stokes
Foil	LeBas	Talbot
Franklin	Leopold	Thibaut
Gaines	Lopinto	Thierry
Garofalo	Lorusso	Whitney
Gisclair	Mack	Williams, A.
Greene	Miller	Williams, P.
Guillory	Montoucet	Willmott
Guinn	Moreno	Woodruff
Harris	Morris, Jay	

Total - 89

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Connick	Hill
Anders	Cox	Leger
Barras	Danahay	Morris, Jim
Bishop, W.	Dove	Thompson
Brossett	Edwards	
Burns, T.	Geymann	

Total - 16

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Seabaugh moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 132—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.24.1, relative to municipal sales and use taxes; to authorize the governing authority of the town of Homer to levy and collect an additional sales and use tax; to provide for voter approval; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Barrow, on behalf of the Legislative Bureau, sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Barrow on behalf of the Legislative Bureau to Engrossed House Bill No. 132 by Representative Jefferson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, following "of" and before "nor" change "that Article" to "Article VI"

On motion of Rep. Barrow, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Jefferson moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guinn	Norton
Adams	Harris	Ortego
Anders	Harrison	Pearson
Armes	Havard	Pierre
Arnold	Hazel	Pope
Badon	Hensgens	Price
Barrow	Hill	Pugh
Berthelot	Hodges	Pylant
Billiot	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Bishop, S.	Hollis	Richard
Broadwater	Honore	Ritchie
Brown	Howard	Schexnayder
Burford	Hunter	Schroder
Burns, H.	Huval	Seabaugh
Burrell	Ivey	Shadoin
Carter	Jackson, K.	Simon
Champagne	James	Smith
Chaney	Johnson	St. Germain
Connick	Jones	Stokes
Cromer	Lambert	Talbot
Dixon	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Fannin	LeBas	Thierry
Foil	Leopold	Whitney
Franklin	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Mack	Willmott
Gisclair	Montoucet	Woodruff
Greene	Moreno	
Guillory	Morris, Jay	

Total - 85

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Danahay	Leger
Barras	Dove	Miller
Bishop, W.	Edwards	Morris, Jim
Brossett	Geymann	Ponti
Burns, T.	Henry	Robideaux
Carmody	Jefferson	Thompson
Cox	Landry, N.	
Total - 20		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Jefferson moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 164—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DIXON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(7) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(5)(e), relative to the Louisiana Workforce Commission, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Louisiana Workforce Commission and the statutory entities made a part of the commission by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Dixon moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Moreno
Adams	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Anders	Harris	Norton
Armes	Harrison	Ortego
Arnold	Havard	Pearson
Badon	Hazel	Pierre
Barras	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Berthelot	Hill	Price
Billiot	Hodges	Pugh
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Pylant
Broadwater	Hollis	Reynolds
Brown	Honore	Richard
Burford	Howard	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Hunter	Robideaux
Burrell	Huval	Schexnayder
Carmody	Ivey	Schroder
Carter	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Champagne	James	Shadoin
Chaney	Jefferson	Simon
Connick	Johnson	Smith
Cromer	Jones	St. Germain
Danahay	Lambert	Stokes
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Fannin	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Foil	LeBas	Thierry
Franklin	Leopold	Whitney
Gaines	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Garofalo	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Geymann	Mack	Willmott
Gisclair	Miller	Woodruff
Greene	Montoucet	
Total - 95		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Cox	Morris, Jim
Bishop, W.	Dove	Thompson
Brossett	Edwards	
Burns, T.	Leger	
Total - 10		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Dixon moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 173—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JAMES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:9097.19(F)(introductory paragraph), (2)(a), and (5), relative to East Baton Rouge Parish; to provide relative to the Sherwood Forest Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District; to provide relative to the parcel fee imposed and collected within the district; to provide relative to the collection fee; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. James moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Adams	Harris	Norton
Anders	Harrison	Ortego
Armes	Havard	Pearson
Arnold	Hazel	Pierre
Badon	Henry	Ponti
Barrow	Hensgens	Pope
Berthelot	Hill	Price
Billiot	Hoffmann	Pugh
Bishop, S.	Hollis	Pylant
Broadwater	Honore	Reynolds
Brown	Howard	Richard
Burford	Hunter	Ritchie
Burns, H.	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Ivey	Schexnayder
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Carter	James	Seabaugh
Champagne	Jefferson	Shadoin
Chaney	Johnson	Simon
Connick	Jones	Smith
Cromer	Lambert	St. Germain
Dixon	Landry, T.	Stokes
Fannin	LeBas	Talbot
Foil	Leopold	Thibaut
Franklin	Lopinto	Thierry
Gaines	Lorusso	Whitney
Garofalo	Mack	Williams, A.
Gisclair	Miller	Williams, P.
Greene	Montoucet	Willmott
Guillory	Moreno	Woodruff
Total - 90		

NAYS

Landry, N.
Total - 1

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ABSENT

Abramson	Cox	Hodges
Barras	Danahay	Leger
Bishop, W.	Dove	Morris, Jim
Brossett	Edwards	Thompson
Burns, T.	Geymann	
Total - 14		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. James moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 201—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BERTHELOT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:405(A)(4) and to enact R.S. 33:405(A)(5) and (6), relative to the Lawrason Act; to provide relative to the mayor pro tempore of a Lawrason Act municipality; to provide relative to the powers and duties of the mayor pro tempore; to authorize the mayor pro tempore to perform the duties of the mayor in the case of a vacancy; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Berthelot moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Adams	Harris	Norton
Anders	Harrison	Ortego
Armes	Havard	Pearson
Arnold	Hazel	Pierre
Badon	Henry	Ponti
Barras	Hensgens	Pope
Barrow	Hill	Price
Berthelot	Hodges	Pugh
Billiot	Hoffmann	Pylant
Bishop, S.	Hollis	Reynolds
Broadwater	Honore	Richard
Brown	Howard	Ritchie
Burford	Hunter	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Huval	Schexnayder
Burrell	Ivey	Schroder
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Seabaugh
Carter	James	Shadoin
Champagne	Jefferson	Simon
Chaney	Johnson	Smith
Connick	Jones	St. Germain
Cromer	Lambert	Stokes
Dixon	Landry, N.	Talbot
Dove	Landry, T.	Thibaut
Fannin	LeBas	Thierry
Foil	Leopold	Whitney
Franklin	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Mack	Willmott
Gisclair	Miller	Woodruff
Greene	Montoucet	
Guillory	Moreno	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Cox	Leger
Bishop, W.	Danahay	Morris, Jim
Brossett	Edwards	Thompson
Burns, T.	Geymann	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Berthelot moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 241—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ARMES
AN ACT

To amend and reenact Section 3 of Act No. 437 of the 2013 Regular Session of the Legislature, relative to a proposed constitutional amendment to require certain residency specifications for members of the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission; to remove the effective date reference contained in the ballot language for such proposed constitutional amendment; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Shadoin sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Shadoin to Engrossed House Bill No. 241 by Representative Armes

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 17, insert "(Amends Article IX, Section 7(A))"

On motion of Rep. Shadoin, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Armes moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Guillory	Morris, Jay
Adams	Guinn	Norton
Anders	Harris	Ortego
Armes	Harrison	Pearson
Arnold	Havard	Pierre
Badon	Hazel	Ponti
Barras	Henry	Pope
Barrow	Hensgens	Price
Berthelot	Hill	Pugh
Billiot	Hodges	Pylant
Bishop, S.	Hoffmann	Reynolds
Broadwater	Hollis	Richard
Brown	Honore	Ritchie
Burford	Howard	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Hunter	Schexnayder
Burrell	Huval	Schroder
Carmody	Ivey	Seabaugh
Carter	Jackson, K.	Shadoin
Champagne	James	Simon
Chaney	Jefferson	Smith

Connick	Johnson	St. Germain
Cromer	Jones	Stokes
Danahay	Lambert	Talbot
Dixon	Landry, N.	Thibaut
Fannin	Landry, T.	Thierry
Foil	LeBas	Whitney
Franklin	Leopold	Williams, A.
Gaines	Lopinto	Williams, P.
Garofalo	Lorusso	Willmott
Geymann	Mack	Woodruff
Gisclair	Miller	
Greene	Moreno	
Total - 94		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Cox	Montoucet
Bishop, W.	Dove	Morris, Jim
Brossett	Edwards	Thompson
Burns, T.	Leger	
Total - 11		

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Armes moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 255—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORTEGO

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 47:338.212, relative to the city of Carencro; to authorize the city to levy a hotel occupancy tax; to provide for the use of tax revenues; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Rep. Ortego moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Harrison	Morris, Jay
Adams	Havard	Norton
Anders	Hazel	Ortego
Armes	Henry	Pierre
Arnold	Hensgens	Ponti
Badon	Hill	Pope
Barrow	Hodges	Price
Berthelot	Hoffmann	Pugh
Billiot	Hollis	Pylant
Bishop, S.	Honore	Reynolds
Broadwater	Howard	Richard
Brown	Hunter	Ritchie
Burford	Huval	Robideaux
Burrell	Ivey	Schexnayder
Carmody	Jackson, K.	Schroder
Carter	James	Seabaugh
Champagne	Jefferson	Shadoin
Chaney	Johnson	Smith
Cromer	Jones	St. Germain
Dixon	Lambert	Stokes
Fannin	Landry, N.	Talbot
Foil	Landry, T.	Thibaut

Franklin	LeBas	Thierry
Gaines	Leopold	Whitney
Garofalo	Lopinto	Williams, A.
Gisclair	Lorusso	Williams, P.
Greene	Mack	Willmott
Guillory	Miller	Woodruff
Guinn	Montoucet	
Harris	Moreno	
Total - 88		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Abramson	Connick	Leger
Barras	Cox	Morris, Jim
Bishop, W.	Danahay	Pearson
Brossett	Dove	Simon
Burns, H.	Edwards	Thompson
Burns, T.	Geymann	
Total - 17		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Ortego moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

HOUSE BILL NO. 365—

BY REPRESENTATIVES MORENO AND BROADWATER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 18:18(D) and to enact R.S. 18:154(C)(2)(d), relative to certain voter information and data; to authorize the secretary of state to enter into certain agreements to share certain voter information or data; to provide for the purposes of such agreements; to require certain provisions; to provide relative to the confidentiality of certain voter information and data; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Moreno sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Moreno to Engrossed House Bill No. 365 by Representative Moreno

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "states or" delete "groups of states" and insert "the Electronic Registration Information Center"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 8, after "to a state or" delete "group of states" and insert "the Electronic Registration Information Center"

On motion of Rep. Moreno, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Moreno moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

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Mr. Speaker	Greene	Montoucet
Adams	Guillory	Moreno
Anders	Guinn	Morris, Jay
Armes	Harris	Ortego
Arnold	Harrison	Pierre
Badon	Havard	Ponti
Barras	Hazel	Pope
Barrow	Henry	Price
Berthelot	Hensgens	Pugh
Billiot	Hill	Pylant
Bishop, S.	Hodges	Reynolds
Broadwater	Hoffmann	Richard
Brown	Hollis	Ritchie
Burford	Honore	Robideaux
Burns, H.	Howard	Schexnayder
Burrell	Hunter	Seabaugh
Carmody	Huval	Shadoin
Carter	Ivey	Simon
Champagne	Jackson, K.	Smith
Chaney	James	Stokes
Cromer	Johnson	Talbot
Danahay	Jones	Thibaut
Dixon	Lambert	Thierry
Fannin	Landry, N.	Whitney
Foil	Landry, T.	Williams, A.
Franklin	LeBas	Williams, P.
Gaines	Leopold	Willmott
Garofalo	Lorusso	Woodruff
Geymann	Mack	
Gisclair	Miller	
Total - 88		

NAYS

Pearson	Schroder
Total - 2	

ABSENT

Abramson	Cox	Lopinto
Bishop, W.	Dove	Morris, Jim
Brossett	Edwards	Norton
Burns, T.	Jefferson	St. Germain
Connick	Leger	Thompson
Total - 15		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Moreno moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Havard gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 185 from the calendar on Monday, March 31, 2014.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Pope, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent at this time.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 41—

BY REPRESENTATIVE POPE

A RESOLUTION

To recognize March 29, 2014, as Livingston Parish Own Your Own Health Day in Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Pope, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 42—

BY REPRESENTATIVE CROMER

A RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to reauthorize the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 33—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENRY BURNS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to review and consider eliminating provisions of federal law which reduce Social Security benefits for those receiving pension benefits from federal, state, or local government retirement or pension systems, plans, or funds.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 34—

BY REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BARROW, HILL, KATRINA JACKSON, MORENO, NORTON, ST. GERMAIN, THIERRY, AND WOODRUFF AND SENATORS BROOME AND PETERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Department of Public Safety and Corrections for moving the mobile welding unit from the Louisiana State Penitentiary to the Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women to begin offering female inmates education and training programs for nontraditional, high-demand, and high-wage jobs.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Smith, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 35—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PONTI

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To repeal the Department of Health and Hospitals rule, Part XIV (Plumbing) of Title 51, comprised of LAC 51:XIV.101 through 1813, of the Louisiana Administrative Code, which provides for the state plumbing code, and to direct the office of the state register to print the repeal in the Louisiana Administrative Code.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 36—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRELL

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Reverend Ernest Edward "E.E." Jones, Sr., for more than fifty-five years of faithful and dedicated service as pastor of Galilee Baptist Church in Shreveport.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Burrell, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 37—
BY REPRESENTATIVE STUART BISHOP

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend Apache Corporation for its responsible and sustainable environmental stewardship and dedication to protecting the coastal wetlands of Louisiana through its commitment to coastal restoration and reforestation through the planting of trees in the coastal areas of Louisiana and to enhancing the quality of life in Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Stuart Bishop, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 38—
BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLIS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana congressional delegation to support a national moratorium on implementation and enforcement of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act for a period of at least three years.

Read by title.

Lies over under the rules.

**Introduction of House Bills
and Joint Resolutions**

The following named members introduced the following House Bills and Joint Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054—

BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARD
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 17:24.4(F)(2), 3996(B)(34), and 4022(7), relative to education standards and related assessments; to require public school teachers and certain teachers in nonpublic schools to take certain required state assessments; to require such nonpublic schools to comply with the teacher requirements; to provide for policies of city, parish, and other local public school boards; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1055—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GUINN
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 56:1948.5(50), to enact R.S. 56:1948.5(65), and to repeal R.S. 56:1948.5(20), (48), (51), and (54), relative to Louisiana Byways; to designate sections of certain highways as Louisiana Byways; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1056—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMBERT
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 3:556.6(A) and (B) and 556.14(A) and (H) and to repeal R.S. 3:556.3(D), 556.7, and 556.14(B), (C), (E), (F), and (G), relative to the Louisiana Crawfish Promotion

and Research Board; to provide for the levy of certain assessments on artificial crawfish bait, crawfish tail meat, and bags for the packaging of live crawfish; to repeal the term of appointment for board members; to repeal authority for referenda for assessment purposes; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on
Judiciary

March 24, 2014

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Pursuant to a meeting held on March 20, 2014, I am directed by your Committee on Judiciary to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 16, by Landry, Terry
Reported favorably. (14-0)

House Bill No. 54, by James
Reported favorably. (15-0)

House Bill No. 151, by Guinn
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 156, by Mack
Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Bill No. 274, by Burrell
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 298, by Garofalo
Reported favorably. (14-0)

House Bill No. 467, by Connick
Reported favorably. (14-0)

House Bill No. 641, by Harrison
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 642, by Hill
Reported favorably. (15-0)

JEFFERY "JEFF" ARNOLD
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

March 24, 2014

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Pursuant to a meeting held on March 20, 2014, I am directed by your Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 111, by Leger (Joint Resolution)
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 238, by St. Germain
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 253, by Burns, Tim
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

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House Bill No. 349, by Barras
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 390, by Mack
Reported favorably. (16-0)

House Bill No. 456, by Schroder
Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Bill No. 576, by Burns, Tim
Reported favorably. (15-0)

House Bill No. 582, by Jones, Sam
Reported with amendments. (13-0)

House Bill No. 940, by Abramson
Reported with amendments. (16-0)

House Bill No. 1012, by Lorusso
Reported with amendments. (16-0)

AUSTIN J. BADON, JR.
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Retirement

March 24, 2014

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

Pursuant to a meeting held on March 20, 2014, I am directed by your Committee on Retirement to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 25, by Talbot
Reported with amendments. (6-3)

House Bill No. 42, by Pearson
Reported favorably. (6-1)

J. KEVIN PEARSON
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Appropriations

March 24, 2014

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Appropriations to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 137, by Havard
Reported favorably. (20-0)

House Bill No. 225, by Champagne
Reported with amendments. (17-0)

House Bill No. 832, by Broadwater
Reported favorably. (20-0)

JAMES R. "JIM" FANNIN
Chairman

Report of the Committee on
Transportation, Highways, and Public Works

March 24, 2014

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 126, by Burns, Henry
Reported favorably. (11-0)

House Bill No. 284, by St. Germain
Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Bill No. 309, by Smith, Patricia
Reported favorably. (12-0)

House Bill No. 446, by Leger
Reported with amendments. (10-0)

House Bill No. 896, by Danahay
Reported favorably. (13-0)

House Bill No. 961, by Pylant
Reported with amendments. (9-3)

House Bill No. 998, by Ortego
Reported with amendments. (11-0)

KAREN GAUDET ST. GERMAIN
Chairwoman

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 364

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Robideaux moved to suspend the rules to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23, which motion was agreed to.

House Bill Nos. 355 and 863

Motion

Rep. Robideaux move to suspend the rules to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to add House Bill Nos. 779 and 780 to its weekly schedule as required by House Rule 14.23.

Rep. Barrow objected.

By a vote of 54 yeas and 21 nays, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee Ways and Means to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 779 and 780

Declaration of Conflict

Rep. Broadwater disclosed a possible conflict of interest on House Bill No. 666.

Leave of Absence

Rep. Jim Morris - 4 days

Rep. Brossett - 1 day

Rep. Edwards - 2 days

Rep. Cox - 2 days

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Billiot, at 4:57 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Tuesday, March 25, 2014, at 3:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 3:00 P.M., Tuesday, March 25, 2014.

ALFRED W. SPEER
Clerk of the House

Committee Meeting Notices

The following committees posted notices as follows:

Special Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs

TO: Members of the Special Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs

FROM: Alfred W. Speer

The members of the Special Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs chaired by Representative Nicholas "Nick" Lorusso will meet as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

TIME: 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: House Committee Room 2

PURPOSE: To receive the current status on Fort Polk and the potential effect of the latest Federal Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) rounds

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 9:00 a.m. Date: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Location: Committee Room 5

Overview and discussion regarding the appropriations proposed in House Bill No. 1 for the following:

Department of Children and Family Services

Department of Revenue

Department of Civil Service

Department of State

JAMES R. "JIM" FANNIN
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Will meet at: 9:30 a.m. Date: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Location: Committee Room 4

HCR 18 BURNS, TIM LEGISLATION Requests a study regarding the use of gender neutral language

HB 181 GAINES CIVIL/RESTRaining ORDER Provides relative to civil injunctions and restraining orders

HB 187 LOPINTO CHILDREN Provides for surrogacy in Louisiana

HB 218 TALBOT CIVIL/RESTRaining ORDER Provides relative to civil injunctions and restraining orders

HB 300 GREENE FAMILY LAW Provides with respect to interim and final spousal support

HB 357 GREENE CHILDREN/CUSTODY Provides relative to ex parte orders of temporary child custody

HB 505 DIXON EMPLOYMENT Provides limitation of liability for employers of convicted offenders

HB 572 THIERRY SEIZURES/SALES Provides relative to exemptions from seizure

HB 588 CARTER HIGHER EDUCATION (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for members of the postsecondary education management boards and the Board of Regents to have qualifications provided by law

HB 656 MILLER PROPERTY/EXPROPRIATION Provides relative to the authority to expropriate

HB 738 LANDRY, NANCY MARRIAGE Provides relative to notice of certain expenses under the Covenant of Marriage Act

HB 814 JAMES MEDICAID Extends right of Medicaid recovery in cases of third party liability for injury, illness, or death to Medicaid managed care organizations that provide covered services to Medicaid enrollees

HB 840 LANDRY, NANCY FAMILY LAW Provides relative to the transfer of actions in custody proceedings

NEIL C. ABRAMSON
Chairman

Committee on Commerce

Will meet at: 12:30 pm Date: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Location: Committee Room 1

HB 183 HARRIS MOTOR VEHICLES Provides relative to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Sales Finance Act

HB 230 PONTISUNSET LAW Re-creates the Department of Economic Development

HB 248 PONTIECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Repeals the requirement that the Louisiana Economic Development Corporation have a coordinator position

HB 319 FOIL CORPORATIONS Provides for revisions to business corporation law

HB 429 BROADWATER FEES/LICENSES/PERMITS Authorizes the collection of a handling fee for the rental of heavy equipment

HB 449 RITCHIE CEMETERIES Provides with respect to disinterment of human remains

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HB 466 BURNS, HENRY HUMAN REMAINS Provides for requirements relative to the disposal of human remains

HB 841 LEGER CORPORATIONS Provides for voting trusts as holders of limited liability company certificates

HB 868 PONTI UTILITIES Makes changes to the La. Underground Utilities and Facilities Damage Prevention Law

HB 994 PONTI ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Provides relative to financing requirements of the Louisiana Business and Industrial Development Company Act

ERICH E. PONTI
Chairman

Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works

Will meet at: 9:30 a.m. Date: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Location: Committee Room 3

HR 2 HENSGENS TRANSPORTATION Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development to study and make recommendations relative to a hurricane evacuation route for and economic development of a certain portion of La. Highway 330.

HR 10 LANDRY, TERRY TRANSPORTATION DEPT Requests the House Committee on Transportation to study the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program to determine if the department's contracting activities are in line with the program's objectives based on local market place conditions

HB 133 ANDERS PORTS/VIDALIA Provides with respect to the Vidalia Port Commission

HB 220 THIBAUT MTR VEHICLE/VIOLATIONS Specifies that the violation of failing to obtain a current and valid motor vehicle inspection certificate within a specified period of time constitutes a secondary offense

HB 254 LORUSSO LEASES Provides relative to leasing of certain marina facilities operated by Jefferson Parish

HB 364 MACK (TBA) MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC Provides for suspension and seizure of a person's driver's license (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HB 419 MONToucET DISTRICTS/DRAINAGE Provides relative to access to public drainage for maintenance purposes

HB 484 SIMON MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC Provides for a deaf or hard of hearing designation to be placed on the registration of a motor vehicle

HB 666 SHADOIN PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS Provides relative to claimants' rights under the public bid law

HB 905 ANDERS DISTRICTS/WATER CONSERVN Provides relative to the boundaries of the Black River Lake Recreation and Water Conservation District

HB 959 BARROW TRANSPORTATION To prohibit the transport of hazardous materials by carriers in any

parish with a population range of 440,000 to 455,000 within a five mile radius of a university.

HB 1021 BARROW TRANSPORTATION Prohibits the transport of hazardous materials within a five mile radius of a university by carriers in certain parishes

KAREN GAUDET ST. GERMAIN
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Will meet at: 1:00 p.m. Date: Tuesday, March 25, 2014

Location: Committee Room 6

HB 162 BISHOP, STUART TAX/INCOME TAX Creates an individual income tax checkoff for The Louisiana Youth Leadership Seminar Corporation, also known as Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership

HB 194 ROBIDEAUX TAX/INCOME TAX Creates an individual income tax checkoff for Louisiana State Troopers Charities

HB 267 PONTI ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Removes requirements of the State Board of Commerce and Industry and the secretary of the Department of Economic Development to approve the issuance of certain bonds

HB 355 DANA HAY (TBA) TAX/ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE Authorizes the secretary of the Department of Revenue to waive certain penalties associated with the payment of taxes on certain alcoholic beverages (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HB 465 BROADWATER TAX/AD VALOREM TAX Provides with respect to ad valorem taxes on shares of bank stock

HB 602 ABRAMSON TAX/INCOME TAX Creates an individual income tax checkoff for The Lighthouse for the Blind in New Orleans, Inc.

HB 779 TALBOT (TBA) TAX/TAX REBATES Provides relative to the definition of a "qualified student" for purposes of rebates for donations to school tuition organizations (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HB 780 TALBOT (TBA) TAX/TAX REBATES Provides relative to the requirements of certain school tuition organizations and the definition of a "qualified student" for purposes of the rebate (Subject to Rule Suspension)

HB 863 DANA HAY (TBA) TAX APPEALS/BOARD Authorizes and provides for the adjudication of certain state and local tax disputes by the Board of Tax Appeals (Subject to Rule Suspension)

JOEL C. ROBIDEAUX
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

Thursday, March 27, 2014

Committee Room 3
Upon Adjournment

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 119 HOFFMANN ANIMALS/LIVESTOCK AT LG** Revises a certain highway intersection designation in the statutory list of public highways prohibiting livestock at large
- HB 878 LEBAS AGRICULTURE/SOYBEANS** Provides relative to the Louisiana Soybean and Grain Research and Promotion Board
- HB 886 MONToucET AGRICULTURE/RICE** Provides relative to assessments levied by the Louisiana Rice Research Board

OTHER BUSINESS:

Approval of meeting minutes from the 2013 Regular Session: April 18 and May 2

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JOHN F. "ANDY" ANDERS
Chairman

Committee on Judiciary

Thursday, March 27, 2014
Committee Room 1
Upon Adjournment

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 46 BURNS, HENRY JUDGMENTS** Requires judges to sign and print their names on all judgments
- HB 96 EDWARDS JUDGES** (Constitutional amendment) Removes the mandatory retirement age of judges
- HB 395 WILLIAMS, A COURTS** Provides relative to penalties for contempt of court
- HB 460 ARNOLD ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** Provides relative to mailing of official correspondence by the office of alcohol and tobacco control
- HB 471 HUNTER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** Authorizes the sale of wine ice cream in the state of Louisiana
- HB 472 HUNTER JUDGES** Authorizes judges to practice law
- HB 496 ARNOLD ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE PERMT** Provides relative to wine and malt beverage permits
- HB 517 HUVAL COURTS** Provides for the reporting of information relative to certain orders involving mental illness
- HB 526 NORTON CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE** Provides with respect to the exemption of fees for certain expungement cases
- HB 527 PEARSON COURTS** Relative to Family Court in the 22nd Judicial District Court

- HB 534 SHADON CLERKS OF COURT** Provides relative to requirements for clerks of court
- HB 535 SHADON CLERKS OF COURT** Provides relative to processing fees associated with reporting requirements for clerks of court
- HB 569 STOKES COURTS** Relative to human trafficking courts
- HB 578 COX ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** Authorizes the city of Mansfield to conduct local option elections regarding the sale of alcohol in restaurants
- HB 625 ABRAMSON JUDGES** Provides for the recusation of judges in certain civil matters
- HB 709 GAROFALO JUDGES/JUSTICE OF PEACE** Provides relative to the duties and authority of justices of the peace
- HB 843 MILLER CRIMINAL/ARREST WARRANT** Prohibits a justice of the peace from issuing an arrest warrant for persons who commit felonies
- HB 888 ARNOLD CLERKS OF COURT** Creates a statewide portal for secure remote access to certain records maintained by district clerks of court
- HB 916 LEGER JUDGES** Provides for extending the collection of increased filing fees by the civil district court judges
- HB 989 JOHNSON JUDGES/JUSTICE OF PEACE** Provides with respect to qualifications for justices of the peace
- HB 1036 ARNOLD ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** Provides for the donation of alcoholic beverages to certain organizations

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JEFFERY "JEFF" ARNOLD
Chairman

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Thursday, March 27, 2014
Committee Room 5
Upon Adjournment

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 315 BISHOP, STUART UNEMPLOYMENT COMP** To repeal provisions relative to shared work plans
- HB 689 BISHOP, STUART EMPLOYMENT/WAGES** Provides with respect to the payment of wages
- HB 692 BROADWATER EMPLOYMENT / UNEMPLOYMENT** Provides with respect to payroll reports
- HB 698 COX EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT** Provides with respect to the ability to file quarterly reports by magnetic media

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- HB 765 PIERRE EMPLOYMENT** Provides relative to membership of Workers' Compensation Advisory Council
- HB 819 LOPINTO EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT** Provides with respect to unemployment compensation benefits
- HB 880 STOKES EMPLOYMENT/UNEMPLOYMENT** Provides with respect to unemployment insurance tax delay periods
- HB 922 BISHOP,STUART LABOR** Provides with respect to labor protest civility
- HB 984 PIERRE UNEMPLOYMENT COMP** Provides for technical corrections to various unemployment compensation provisions

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HERBERT B. DIXON
Chairman

Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

Thursday, March 27, 2014
Committee Room 6
Upon Adjournment

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 98 WILLIAMS, PATRICK FUNDS/FUNDING** Provides for the distribution of the monies in the Shreveport Riverfront and Convention Center and Independence Stadium Fund
- HB 272 WILLIAMS, ALFRED WEAPONS/FIREARMS** Provides relative to firearms buyback programs for parishes and municipalities
- HB 339 LEGER PARISH/ORLEANS** Provides relative to the powers granted to the governing authority of the city of New Orleans to remove weeds and other deleterious growths
- HB 371 BADON DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD** Provides relative to the parcel fee levied within the Kingswood Subdivision Improvement District in Orleans Parish
- HB 425 ANDERS DISTRICTS/TAXING** Creates the Vidalia Tourism Development District
- HB 457 PIERRE DISTRICTS/REDEVELOPMENT** Provides relative to the boundaries and governance of the North Lafayette Redevelopment Authority
- HB 568 ST. GERMAIN FIRE PROTECT/FIREMEN** Provides relative to financial security benefits for surviving spouses and children of fire operation personnel
- HB 574 BROSSETT DISTRICTS/NEIGHBORHOOD** Provides relative to the Seabrook Neighborhood Improvement and Security District in Orleans Parish
- HB 581 HAVARD TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY** Authorizes the governing authority of the city of Zachary to levy a hotel occupancy tax

- HB 866 BARROW HOUSING/AUTHORITIES** Provides relative to annual reports of local housing authorities
- HB 918 BARROW DISTRICTS/REDEVELOPMENT** Authorizes redevelopment authorities to create public benefit corporations
- HB 881 CHAMPAGNE PARISHES** Requires parishes receiving RESTORE Act funds to provide certain information to the public
- HB 928 HUNTER DISTRICTS/SPECIAL** Creates the Monroe-West Monroe Improvement and Security District
- HB 951 FOIL DISTRICTS/CRIME PREVENT** Creates the University Acres Crime Prevention and Neighborhood Improvement District in East Baton Rouge Parish
- HB 1019 GAROFALO DISTRICTS/ECONOMIC DEVEL** Creates the St. Bernard Parish Economic Development Commission

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AUSTIN J. BADON, JR.
Chairman

Committee on Retirement

Thursday, March 27, 2014
Committee Room 4
At Adjournment

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HB 65 MONTOUCET RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS** Authorizes the board of trustees of the Firefighters' Retirement System to adopt group trust provisions pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings
- HB 67 MONTOUCET RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS** Provides relative to the accrual rate and Deferred Retirement Option Plan participation in the Firefighters' Retirement System
- HB 75 MONTOUCET RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS** Requires court order be provided to the Firefighters' Retirement System before the system can seize or garnish benefits of a member
- HB 76 MONTOUCET RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS** Provides relative to the removal of a former spouse as a designated beneficiary of an active member of the Firefighters' Retirement System
- HB 77 MONTOUCET RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS** Provides for conversion of leave to service credit in the Firefighters' Retirement System
- HB 90 BARROW RETIREMENT/FUNDING** Requires occasional supplemental payments to retirees and beneficiaries of the four state retirement systems from monies available from the Seniors' Supplement Fund
- HB 6 PEARSON RETIREMENT/TEACHERS** Establishes a minimum employer contribution rate for the Optional Retirement Plan in the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana

HB 5 PEARSON RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Provides relative to the composition of the board of trustees of the Municipal Employees Retirement System

HB 7 PEARSON RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Provides relative to the accrual rate for members of Plan A of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System first hired on or after July 1, 2014

HB 23 PEARSON RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL EMP
Provides relative to expenses and funds of the Municipal Employees' Retirement System

HB 24 PEARSON RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL POL
Provides relative to amortization schedules for credits and liabilities of the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System

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J. KEVIN PEARSON
Chairman